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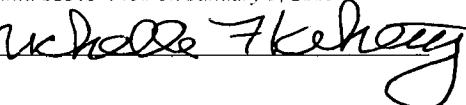
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/533,938  
Applicant : Hoogland  
Filed : July 11, 2005  
Title : APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR  
MANUFACTURING HOLDERS, IN  
PARTICULAR CRATES  
TC/A.U. : 1791  
Examiner : Malekzadeh, Seyed Masoud  
Conf. No. : 9592  
Docket No. : 294-216 PCT/US  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated July 10, 2008, please amend the application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.121, as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.